

**MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING
of the
City of Northfield Council
October 24, 2016**

Pursuant to written notice, the regular meeting of the City of Northfield Council was held on Monday, October 24, 2016, at the Fenley Office Park, 4965 U.S. Highway 42. Council members present: Sharon Berger, Catharine Birch, Steve Levy, Clark Rhea, Tracy Walker and Bill White. City officials present: Mayor Randolph Chappell, Police Chief Richard Frank, Treasurer Charles Veeneman and City Clerk Phyllis Onachilla.

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m., by Mayor Chappell.

MINUTES

Minutes of the September 26, 2016, meeting were approved as distributed.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Council members reviewed the Budget vs Actual Statement for the General Fund for the three-month period ending September 30, 2016, the Balance Sheet and the City's List of Investments for the General Fund as of September 30, 2016, the Budget vs Actual Statement for the Road Fund for the three-month period ending September 30, 2016, the Balance Sheet and List of Investments for the Road Fund as of September 30, 2016, the General Ledger and the Check Register from September 1 through September 30, 2016.

CLERK'S REPORT

Mark and Staci Lewis, 6417 Lime Ridge Place, are new residents in Northfield.

POLICE REPORT

Police Chief Richard Frank briefed council members on recent activities throughout the city including the theft of a computer from a Glenridge Office Park condo. One citation was issued this month.

OLD BUSINESS

NORTHFIELD TREE PROGRAM

Mr. Walker reported on his recent conversation with Steve Sauter of Lawnco. It was determined that the City of Northfield could provide a tree, costing approximately \$250, to Northfield residents who agree to pay for the cost of planting. Also, Lawnco has three arborists on staff, and, with a dollar limit, the City could possibly subsidize homeowners for the cost of arborist-approved tree maintenance. Council members will continue to discuss this proposed program which, if adopted, would be implemented next year.

ADJOURN

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

The next regular meeting of the Northfield City Council will be held on Monday, November 28, 2016.

Phyllis Onachilla, City Clerk

Randolph Chappell, Mayor
City of Northfield